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Members of the Senate Judiciary Committee:

When I was in elementary school in the 1940's and 50's, it was a time when education was based on facts as opposed to our current practice of leaving out inconvenient truths. One fact I learned was that every great society that has proceeded us has collapsed not so much from external pressure, but because they rotted from the inside. Rome is an example. They became so immoral that they were totally focused on personal pleasure. They became so decadent they wouldn't or couldn't defend themselves.

This bill is not about the need to correct some great injustice, but rather to handcuff those opposed to seeing our country deteriorate any further.

Think about it! Where are people always opposed to America defending itself? It's not the heartland but rather the areas of our country where our morals have slid the furthest. These moves to rewrite our law in Montana have far reaching consequences that would have a very overall negative effect on our state and country. I don't want to be forced to accept someone else's lack of decency and live in silence. Even the idea of "equal rights" can be taken to such extremes it becomes ridiculous.

I have been to Vermont and I have been to San Francisco. I would not want to attempt to raise a family in either place. Please help keep Montana a wholesome place. Vote NO on SB371.

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